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For: DISTRIBUTION OF PROMOTIONAL INDICIA ON LIDS, COVERS OR
CLOSURES
Examiner: Carter, Monica Smith
Group: 3722
Docket No.: 18973-00001

Dear Sir:

Enclosed is a Response to the Office Action mailed on August 18, 2005, in the subject application, along with a check in the amount of \$510.00 for a three-month extension of time for response.

If for any reason this Response is found to be incomplete, or if at any time it appears that a telephone conference with counsel would help advance prosecution, please telephone the undersigned in Westborough, Massachusetts (508) 898-1501.

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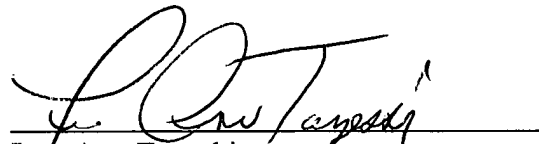
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RESPONSE

This is a response to the outstanding office action. Please amend the claims as follows.